

THE OREGON MIST.

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ST. HELENS, NOVEMBER 27, 1891.

At the meeting of the national republican committee in Washington Monday, Minneapolis was chosen on the seventh ballot as the place for holding the next national republican convention.

AGAIN the rebels have been successful in one of our sister republics on the south. The insurgents in Brazil are in possession of the government machinery, the dictator having surrendered his authority to them Monday. A new form of government will be established at an early date.

THE Astoria Town Talk is evidently making matters very warm for the thieves, thugs and hoodlums of that place. Whether the Talk can oppose this well organized gang of prostitutes of both sexes who have for so long controlled that town, and yet prosper, is a thing that has never yet been accomplished. To be successful in business in Astoria and at the same time oppose this element is an utter impossibility.

THE meanest man on earth is the liar. You can cope with a burglar, a murderer, a horse-thief, or an outlaw of any kind, but the liar has no equal. He is always ready to tell you a falsehood—often when the truth would answer better. The man who will tell you a certain thing one minute and the next breath promise another man the same thing is too contemptible for recognition by decent people. The man who can and does deliberately lie out of one falsehood into another so fast that you have not time to record them is a disgrace to the dirt upon which he walks, a prostitute of humanity, and should be caged as soon as possible. Beware of the wolf in sheep's clothing.

THE city of San Francisco has raised a subsidy of \$50,000 for the purpose of securing one or both of the national conventions for that city in 1892. A committee has been appointed to present San Francisco's claims to the national committee, and have already been sent to Washington for that purpose. The Bay city proposes to offer free transportation to the delegates to the convention, provided it is held in that city, and will also furnish free hotel accommodations, clerk hire, etc. When a city wants the honor of having a political convention so bad and offers to foot all the bills we fail to see why their desire should not be gratified.

THE Pacific Farmer speaks to the point in the following suggestions: "All those big boys and young men who are standing around on the streets should be made to feel that they must go to work, as everybody knows that the men who earn their living by honest toil, must support the idlers in some way. The loafer has a digestive apparatus which must be kept busy. He must have clothes and shelter and unless he has some honest occupation, the laboring men must support him. While young the idler may be sharp enough to get the laboring man's money by some trick, but no matter how he gets it, the laboring men are the life of this country and must support the idlers. Think of this young man and if you are loafing around with no visible means of support go to work. Study a profession, learn a trade, or be a farmer. The street corners is no place for you."

At the shipyard of William Rodgers, in Bath, Maine, recently, the four-masted, centerboard schooner Three Marys was launched. This is the third vessel launched from this yard the present year. The Three Marys, says the Bath Enterprise, is built of the first materials. The frame is wholly of Maine oak, planking, ceiling and deck frames yellow pine. She has two decks and her cabins are large and furnished in hard wood and neatly ornamented and polished. The lower masts each are Oregon pine and are 100 feet long, the topmasts fifty feet in length. The vessel is complete in every detail and is considered one of the staunchest of her class afloat. This is only one instance out of a great many where the Oregon pine is used for masts and spars at the different shipyards throughout the East. Of this important shipbuilding material Columbia county has an abundance; and the fact that Mr. Rodgers, who has just completed his eighty-ninth vessel, uses the Oregon product and ships it across the continent in preference to Maine pine, speaks a great deal for the value of our forests. The spar business will be a great source of revenue to this county at no distant day.

School Report.

Report of the Milton creek school for the month ending November 13: Number of pupils enrolled, 21; daily average attendance, 20; those not absent during the month were, Stella Brown, Dannie Brown, Sidney Smith, Harry Sherman, Caleb Sherman, Pearl Sherman, Calvin Hayward, Clarence Beauchamp, Harry Beauchamp, Jessie Beauchamp, Louis Berger, George Berger, Bert Brown, Fred Frantz. Those visiting the school were, Mr. E. Harrison and Mr. Charlie Brown. KATHA A. McCORMACK, Teacher.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20, 1891.

The president returned from the last vacation he is likely to have for the next seven or eight months—a duck shooting trip in Maryland—in time to preside over a very important cabinet meeting today, at which portions of his annual message to congress, which will be unusually important this year, were read and discussed. The name of the successor to Secretary Froster was also submitted, and there was some informal talk about the advance of Minister Fred Grant in getting the government of Austria to withdraw its prohibition of the importation of American pork, which is now regarded as an assured fact. Secretary Blaine had something interesting to say about the reciprocity treaty with Mexico and his final instructions to Minister Ryan, who left Washington for the City of Mexico this week. The negotiation of this treaty or agreement will probably be officially concluded and announced soon after Minister Ryan gets back to his post of duty, as only a few of the minor details remain to be settled.

The president and every member of his cabinet realize that they have a season of hard work ahead of them, and that, politically speaking, the coming session of congress promises to be a most important one, as the action of the democratic house of representatives, from its election of a speaker to its adjournment will be pregnant with results affecting the presidential campaign, and the commercial and industrial prosperity now so general throughout the country, and they may be relied upon in conjunction with the republican senate, to be on the alert to counteract the evil of any wildcat legislation that may be attempted by the democratic house.

When the statement was made by republican speakers and newspapers during the recent campaign in New York that if Tammany had succeeded in carrying that state it would attempt to control the democratic national policy, it was puffed by many people, including some republicans. Well, the prophecy is already fulfilled, and the agents of Tammany hall are in Washington demanding that Crisp shall be elected speaker of the house, just as next year they will be at the national democratic convention demanding the nomination of some man who will promise, if elected, to allow them to introduce into national affairs the corrupt methods which have made the New York city government a stench in the nostrils of honest men everywhere. The speakership contest will be a test of the strength of Tammany hall in national affairs; if it can have Crisp elected speaker it can dictate the democratic presidential nomination next year.

Secretary Foster is very much interested in the experience of Immigration Commissioner Schulteis, who, in order to ascertain the bottom facts about the immigrants from Europe, came over from Europe in the steamer as one of them, and made some startling discoveries concerning the methods of certain European associations in assisting undesirable people to come to America, as well as the immoral practices in the steamer of European steamers. Secretary Foster says that no amount of steamship influence will prevent his getting at the bottom of this whole business and putting a stop to it, if it can be done under the present laws, and he thinks it can be.

DEER ISLAND.

The weather is everything that is desirable. Owing to so little frost this winter peas and beans are still blooming. Several of our farmers attended the sale last Saturday and some of them made good purchases. A. A. Merrill sports a span of mules. Who is the farmer that hires a hand and puts him to work without proper tools and expects him to accomplish much; or the merchant who hires a clerk and expects him to make big returns without first stocking his store; or the logger who hires a laborer and puts him to work with only an ax and expects him to cut many logs. Neither must parents expect great things from a teacher, when they only furnish the school with the children, books and slates. The school should have gloves.

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We are informed William Connell will build his dairy again in the spring. The day before Mr. Connell's barn was burned he broke ground for a \$2000 cottage. C. L. Smith has bought forty acres of land from I. Bettinggarden and has the lumber on the ground for a dwelling. Elzy George is about to sell out his store to Charles English. Mr. English is well known and highly respected. No man could come into the business here better fitted. Mr. George has done a good business here, and his reason for retiring is that he has too much other business. Deer Island is a good trading point and we predict abundant success for the new man.

The Tide Creek Dam & Boom Company are driving a boom at the mouth of Tide creek. They have now full control of the creek from the dam to its mouth, and will drive each and every man's logs alike, and no one can say: "I did more work on your logs than you did on mine." One week ago last Tuesday night Mr. George's store was broken into and robbed. Besides several articles taken about \$40 in cash went also. We hear of some petty larceny being continuously committed. It is not likely the county officials can do anything towards capturing these thieves as the county court is enjoined not to pay for "searching" for criminals.

If the Chilian soldiers are anything like the Clatskanie Chief pictures them in its last issue, the American soldiers have nothing to fear in case of war. When a soldier will throw away his gun and run with a pocket-knife onto the sharp point of a fixed bayonet, he will find out his mistake too late. War is different from riot. Knives will do in street riots, but they never do in war. War is art, in which the soldier must be trained, and the more trained the better the soldier. Discipline is the main thing in war, but recklessness is fatal, and the Chilians will find it out should they ever meet Uncle Sam in the field, like the Mexicans did when they met General Taylor.

C. H. English is quite poorly at present, though nothing serious. Considerable colds are reported and some la grippe. Mr. "Query" wishes to thank some friend for a batch of the Northwest Reform Journal, the alliance paper. He would like to return the sender some copies of The Oregonian and Farm and Fireside.

THE NEXT ELECTORAL VOTE.

Table showing the following table shows the electoral vote for 1888 compared with that apportioned for the different states in 1892, when the next president is to be elected.

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REMEMBER.

MIRANDA-EMERSON - At the residence of the latter's parents on Milton creek Sunday, Nov. 22, 1891, J. H. Miranda to Jennie M. Emerson.

REPEPPY.

This is what you ought to have, in fact you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and no amount of money will buy it. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you good Digestion and out the demon Dyspepsia and install Instant Repeppy. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c and \$1.00 per bottle by Edwin Ross, Druggist.

BUCKLE'S ARNICA SALVE.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale by Edwin Ross.

ONE DOLLAR WEEKLY.

Buy a good gold watch by our club system. One that is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction for 20 years. Price \$100 and watch. To secure agents where we have none, we sell one of the finest watches for the club price \$25 and send C. O. D. by express with privilege of examination before paying for the same. Our agent at Durham, N. C., writes: "Our jeweler has examined them and knows you can furnish such work for the money." Our agent at Heath Springs, S. C., writes: "Your watches take at sight. The gentleman who got the last watch said 'I have examined and tested a jeweler's watches in Lancaster that were no better than yours, but the price was 50% more.'" Our agent at Princeton, Tex., writes: "Am in receipt of the watch, and am pleased without measure. All who have seen it say it would be cheap at \$25."

THE STEAMER IRALDA.

Is now making regular round trips from OAK POINT TO PORTLAND Daily Except Wednesdays.

Table with columns: LEAVING OAK POINT, ARRIVING PORTLAND. Lists departure and arrival times for STELLA, KALAMA, and ST. HELENS.

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